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In re Application of: ANDREWS, John  
Serial No.: 09/864,197  
Filed: May 25, 2001  
Title: BILLIARD, SNOOKER AND-POOL CUE SHAFT  
Group: 3711  
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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria VA 22313-1450  
U.S.A.


Dear Sir:

**PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION  
OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)**

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) in which to file a response to the outstanding Office Action dated **October 1, 2003**. Please charge our Deposit Account No. 501593 in the amount of **\$475.00** to cover the extension fee specified in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(3) for a small entity. If the preceding amount is incorrect, any deficiency or overpayment should also be charged or credited to this deposit account.

Respectfully submitted,

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